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APPLICATION OF THE CITY OF)	FILED
LOGANSPORT ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT)	CAUSE NO. 38705-FAC 58
FOR A CHANGE IN ITS FUEL CHARGE)	FEB 2 1 2003
FOR APRIL, MAY AND JUNE 2003	1 2 2 1 2003

INDIANA UTILITY
REGULATORY COMMISSION

You are hereby notified that on this date the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

Petitioner and the Office of Utility Consumer Counselor have both prefiled their cases-inchief in anticipation of the evidentiary hearing scheduled for March 5, 2003 in this Cause. In reviewing that evidence, the Commission's staff has identified a few items that require correction and/or further clarification as set forth below:

- 1. The forecasting error was greater than 10% for the months of October 2002, November 2002, and December 2002. Please provide an explanation for the estimating error.
- 2. In reviewing Appendix A, page 4, it was noted that the month of November 2002 had a negative number for energy losses & company use. Please provide an explanation for why a negative number was reported for energy losses and company use for the month of November 2002.
- 3. In reviewing Appendix A, page 4, it was noted that the ratio of energy losses and company use to total kWh varies significantly from month to month. Please provide a breakdown between company use and losses, if possible. In addition, please provide an explanation for why the ratio of energy losses and company use to total kWh varies significantly from month to month.
- 4. On page 3 of the Petitioner's Application, Petitioner makes reference to the estimated fuel cost adjustment factor set forth in Appendix C to become effective commencing with Applicant's October billing cycle. Did Petitioner intend to refer to the April 2003 billing cycle versus the October billing cycle? Please review and correct if necessary.
- 5. Per a review of the prefiled testimony of Klaus W. Hemberger, Staff noted a statement referring to the previous fuel cost adjustment factor of 1.235. Staff

believes that the previous fuel cost adjustment factor was 1.544. Please review and correct as necessary.

6. Petitioner filed an amended Application on February 4, 2003, however, Petitioner has not filed the corresponding amended testimony of Klaus W. Hemberger. Please provide any amended testimony.

Petitioner is directed to file answers to item numbers 1, 2, 3, and 6, in writing, by March 3, 2003. With regard to potential errors identified in item numbers 4 and 5, Petitioner may, at its discretion, either correct the prefiled testimony at the hearing, or submit substitute corrected pages.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Gregory S. Colton, Administrative Law Judge

Dated:

Nancy M. Manley, Secretary to the Commission